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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the ~~provisional~~ patent application identified above. 15 sheet(s) of drawings (informal) are enclosed. 23 page(s) of specification and 1 page(s) of abstract of the invention are enclosed. An assignment of the invention to is enclosed will follow. An associate power of attorney is enclosed will follow. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 & 1.27 is enclosed. Declaration and Power of Attorney is enclosed will follow. A certified copy of _____ Patent Application No. _____ filed _____ from
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A	TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	44	-20	24	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$[FEE]	\$432.00
B	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE*	3	-3	0	LG=\$78 SM=\$39	\$[FEE]	\$ 0
C SUBTOTAL - ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE (ADD FINAL COLUMN IN LINES A+B)							\$432.00
D MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE							LARGE ENTITY FEE=\$260 SMALL ENTITY FEE=\$130
E BASIC FEE							LARGE ENTITY FEE=\$760 SMALL ENTITY FEE=\$380
F TOTAL FILING FEE (ADD TOTALS FOR LINES C, D, AND E) PROVISIONAL APPLICATION							\$380
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- check in amount of \$812.00 as filing fee
- Patent application 23 pages of specification;
44 claim(s); One page(s) of abstract;
15 sheet(s) of informal drawings.
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